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Appl. No. 09/965,473

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For: **Stent Delivery Catheter with Grooved
Balloon and Method of Making Same**

Art Unit: 3762

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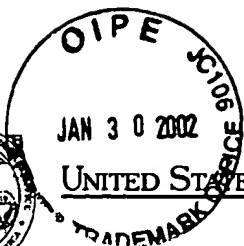
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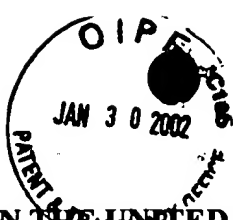
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